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Connector assembly and method for connecting hoses

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Verbindungsanordnung und Verfahren zum Verbinden von Schläuchen

Title (fr)
Raccord et méthode de raccordement de tuyaux flexibles

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[origin: EP1775510A1] A connector assembly includes first and second hoses (12,14), a tubular connector (16), and a clamp (18). The tubular connector (16) includes first and second radial projections (24,26) that are spaced apart along an axial direction of the tubular connector (16). The tubular connector (16) extends into the first hose (12), and the first radial projection (24) of the tubular connector (16) engages with the inner surface of the first hose (12). The tubular connector (16) also extends into the second hose (14), and the second radial projection (26) of the tubular connector (16) engages with the inner surface of the second hose (14). The first hose (12) extends into the second hose (14) so that the first and second hoses axially overlap in an area between the first and second radial projections (24,26) of the tubular connector (16). The clamp (18) engages the outer surface of the second hose (14) in the axially overlapping area of the first and second hoses to clamp the first and second hoses (12,14) to the tubular connector (16).

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